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Draft conclusions proposed by the Chairs

1. The Subsidiary Body for Implementation (SBI) and the Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice (SBSTA), recalling Articles 9 and 10 of the Convention and in accordance with decision 4/CP.23, initiated the Koronivia joint work on agriculture (KJWA), taking into consideration the vulnerabilities of agriculture to climate change and approaches to addressing food security.[1] They welcomed the submissions from Parties and observers on elements to be included in this work.[2]

2. The SBI and the SBSTA requested the secretariat to organize the workshops referred to in the annex in conjunction with the specified sessions. They encouraged admitted observers to participate in these workshops.

3. The SBI and the SBSTA took note of the importance of issues, including but not limited to farmers, gender, youth, local communities and indigenous peoples, and encouraged Parties to take them into consideration when making submissions and during the KJWA workshops.

4. The SBI and the SBSTA also requested the secretariat to prepare a report on each workshop referred to in the annex for consideration at the sessions of the SBI and the SBSTA following the sessions in conjunction with which the workshops took place.

5. The SBI and the SBSTA, pursuant to decision 4/CP.23, paragraph 1, requested the secretariat to invite representatives of the constituted bodies under the Convention to contribute to the work, and attend the workshops, in particular the first workshop, on decision 4/CP.23, paragraph 2(a).

6. The SBI and the SBSTA invited Parties and observers to submit,[3] for each workshop referred to in the annex, their views on the subject of that workshop by the deadline specified in the annex. They also invited Parties and observers to submit, by 28 September

[1] Decision 4/CP.23, paragraph 1.
[2] Available at http://www.unfccc.int/submissions_and_statements.
[3] Submissions should be made via the submission portal at http://www.unfccc.int/submissions_and_statements.

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2020, their views on future topics not listed in decision 4/CP.23 and on the progress of the KJWA for consideration in the report of the SBI and the SBSTA to the Conference of the Parties as per decision 4/CP.23, paragraph 4.

7. The SBI and the SBSTA agreed to continue consideration of this agenda item at SBI 49 and SBSTA 49 (December 2018).

8. The SBI and the SBSTA took note of the estimated budgetary implications of the activities to be undertaken by the secretariat pursuant to the provisions referred to in paragraph 2 above. They requested that the actions of the secretariat called for in these conclusions be undertaken subject to the availability of financial resources.

Annex

Road map

Session	*Activity*	
SBSTA/SBI 48 April–May 2018	Parties agree on the road map/agenda	
	Intersessional activities	Submissions on topic 2(a)[1] (Modalities for implementation of the outcomes of the five in-session workshops on issues related to agriculture and other future topics that may arise from this work) by **22 October 2018**
SBSTA/SBI 49 December 2018	Workshop with constituted bodies under the Convention[2] on topic 2(a) (Modalities for implementation of the outcomes of the five in-session workshops on issues related to agriculture and other future topics that may arise from this work)	
	Intersessional activities	Preparation of workshop report by the secretariat on topic 2(a) (Modalities for implementation of the outcomes of the five in-session workshops on issues related to agriculture and other future topics that may arise from this work) Submissions on topics 2(b) (Methods and approaches for assessing adaptation, adaptation co-benefits and resilience) and 2(c) (Improved soil carbon, soil health and soil fertility under grassland and cropland as well as integrated systems, including water management) by **6 May 2019**
SBSTA/SBI 50 June 2019	Workshops on topics 2(b) (Methods and approaches for assessing adaptation, adaptation co-benefits and resilience) and 2(c) (Improved soil carbon, soil health and soil fertility under grassland and cropland as well as integrated systems, including water management) Consideration of the workshop report on topic 2(a) (Modalities for implementation of the outcomes of the five in-session workshops on issues related to agriculture and other future topics that may arise from this work)	
	Intersessional activities	Preparation of workshop reports by the secretariat on topics 2(b) (Methods and approaches for assessing adaptation, adaptation co-benefits and resilience) and 2(c) (Improved soil carbon, soil health and soil fertility under grassland and cropland as well as integrated systems, including water management) Submissions on topic 2(d) (Improved nutrient use and manure management towards sustainable and resilient agricultural systems) by **30 September 2019**
SBSTA/SBI 51 November 2019	Workshop on topic 2(d) (Improved nutrient use and manure management towards sustainable and resilient agricultural systems) Consideration of the workshop reports from topics 2(b) (Methods and approaches for assessing adaptation, adaptation co-benefits and resilience) and 2(c) (Improved soil carbon, soil health and soil fertility under grassland and cropland as well as integrated systems, including water management)	
	Intersessional activities	Preparation of workshop report by the secretariat on topic 2(d) (Improved nutrient use and manure management towards sustainable and resilient agricultural systems) Submissions on topics 2(e) (Improved livestock management systems, including agropastoral production systems and others)

[1] Topic numbering refers to the paragraphs in decision 4/CP.23.

[2] Constituted bodies will contribute to the Koronivia joint work on agriculture in accordance with decision 4/CP.23, paragraph 1.

Session	*Activity*	
		and 2(f) (Socioeconomic and food security dimensions of climate change in the agricultural sector) by **20 April 2020**
SBSTA/SBI 52 June 2020	Workshops on topics 2(e) (Improved livestock manage.nent systems, including agropastoral production systems and others) and 2(f) (Socioeconomic and food security dimensions of climate change in the agricultural sector)	
	Consideration of the workshop report from topic 2(d) (Improved nutrient use and manure management towards sustainable and resilient agricultural systems)	
	Intersessional activities	Preparation of workshop reports by the secretariat on topics 2(e) (Improved livestock management systems, including agropastoral production systems and others) and 2(f) (Socioeconomic and food security dimensions of climate change in the agricultural sector)
		Submissions on future topics not listed in decision 4/CP.23 and views on the progress of the Koronivia joint work on agriculture in order to report to the Conference of the Parties as per decision 4/CP.23, paragraph 4, by **28 September 2020**
SBSTA/SBI 53 November 2020	Consideration of the workshop reports from topics 2(e) (Improved livestock management systems, including agropastoral production systems and others) and 2(f) (Socioeconomic and food security dimensions of climate change in the agricultural sector)	
	Report to the Conference of the Parties on the progress and outcomes of the work, including on potential future topics	

Abbreviations: SBSTA = Subsidiary Body for Scientific and Technological Advice, SBI = Subsidiary Body for Implementation.